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E. O. 11652: N/ A  
TAGS: PFOR UR  
SUBJ: JAPANESE REACTIONS TO NIXON- BREZHNEV SUMMIT MEETING

REF TOKYO 7903

1. AS REPORTED SEPARATELY THROUGH USIS CHANNELS, JAPANESE MEDIA HAVE PROVIDED EXTENSIVE FACTUAL COVERAGE OF NIXON-BREZHNEV SUMMIT MEETING THOUGH SIGNIFICANT ANALYSIS OR EDITORIAL COMMENT HAS YET TO APPEAR.
2. OFFICIAL REACTION HAS SO FAR BEEN LIMITED TO FONMIN OHIRA'S STATEMENT WELCOMING AGREEMENT ON PREVENTION OF NUCLEAR WAR (REFTEL) WHICH FONOFF SUPPLEMENTED WITH BRIEF BACKGROUNDER. ACCORDING TO ASAHI SHIMBUN ACCOUNT, FONOFF WELCOMED FACT THAT TWO NUCLEAR SUPER POWERS NOT ONLY AGREED TO EXERCISE SELF- RESTRAINT BUT ESTABLISHED FRAMEWORK FOR EMERGENCY CONSULTATIONS IF REQUIRED. HOWEVER, FONOFF SUGGESTED THAT FOR AGREEMENT TO HAVE LASTING EFFECT, FURTHER PROGRESS MUST TAKE PLACE IN SALT NEGOTIATIONS. ANTICIPATING THAT US- USSR AGREEMENT WILLPROMPT DEMAND IN SOME CIRCLES FOR RESTUDY OF US- JAPAN MST, FONOFF POINTED TO RESTRAINTS ON THIRD COUNTRIES WHICH US AND USSR HAD UNDERTAKEN TO EXERT, AND CONCLUDED THAT, AS IN

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PAST, FIRM MAINTENANCE OF MST WILL ASSIST EFFORTS TO PREVENT  
NUCLEAR WAR. DECON 1-1-74.  
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